

February 3, 1978

LB 108, 92, 128, 424

PRESIDENT: The Call is raised. Report the vote.

CLERK: 31 ayes, 0 nays on the advancement of the bill.

PRESIDENT: The bill is advanced. LB 92.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 92 was a bill....

PRESIDENT: Senator Lewis has a request for unanimous consent to bracket the bill for two weeks. Is there an objection? Seeing none, it is so ordered. LB 128.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 128 was a bill that was introduced by Senator Jack Mills of the 44th District. Title read. The bill was first read on January 6, 1977. It was referred to the Business and Labor Committee, Mr. President. Business and Labor Committee advanced the bill to General File. The committee amendments were considered by the body on January 16, 1978. The committee amendments lost. I now have an amendment offered by Senator Mills. That amendment can be found on page 323 of the Legislative Journal.

PRESIDENT: Senator Jack Mills.

SENATOR MILLS: Mr. President, I can't address the bill. I have got to ask to have it held over. I can't even talk about it.

PRESIDENT: Senator Mills requests unanimous consent to bracket the bill until next Tuesday. Is there an objection? Seeing none, it is so ordered. LB 424.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 424 is a bill introduced by Senator Loran Schmit of the 23rd District. Title read. The bill was first read on January 24, 1977. It was referred to the Business and Labor Committee, Mr. President. The bill was advanced to General File.

PRESIDENT: Senator Schmit.

SENATOR SCHMIT: Mr. President, and the members of the Legislature, I hesitate to do this because I am anxious to take up the bill but Senator Brennan has an amendment for the bill and he has the same problem that Senator Mills has. He is unable to speak and I think it would be unfair to him to ask him to participate in the debate today so I have agreed to bracket the bill until February 6, Monday, and at that time, with the concurrence of Senator Brennan, we will take the bill up, if there is no objection.

PRESIDENT: Is there an objection? Seeing none, it is so ordered. Yes, sir.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: I don't have any objection but I just want to point out and caution the members of the Legislature about the bracketing process that is going on. Remember when you bracket, they are in holding pattern. That doesn't mean they are going to come up on that day, and the way the holding pattern is developing, it is going to be a couple of weeks before some of these bills get addressed. Just so you understand that, because beginning Monday, for example, we are going to go to the death penalty bill, LB 64, and when we get into some of these heavy bills which are going to